

## General Assembly

January Session, 2005

## Proposed Bill No. 5690

LCO No. 1555

Referred to Committee on Human Services

Introduced by: REP. MUSHINSKY, 85<sup>th</sup> Dist.

## AN ACT CONCERNING THE LOW-INCOME HEATING ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the sum of \_\_\_\_ dollars be appropriated to the Department of
- 2 Social Services, from the General Fund, for the fiscal year ending June
- 3 30, 2005, for the purpose of increasing state assistance to those eligible
- 4 for the low-income heating energy assistance program, operated in
- 5 accordance with section 16a-41a of the general statutes.

## Statement of Purpose:

To increase state funding for the low-income heating energy assistance program to compensate for a reduction in federal spending on the program.